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Re: Filing of New U.S. Utility Patent Application

Title: "Method And System For Implementing A Reduced

Complexity Dual Rate Echo Canceller"

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Attached is a new patent application for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office including eighty-two (82) pages of Specification, five (5) pages of Claims (numbered 1-34), one (1) page Abstract, twenty-four (24) sheets of Drawings (labeled Figs. 1a-18c), an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, an Assignment, and a Request for Certification of Non-Publication under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2).

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